

# WATERMETER SEALS

## Driven Eastern Canadian Back North Prospecting Plans

**Brandishing Knife, Mrs. Campbell, Edmonton, Saves Her Child**

Brandishing a carving knife and slashing it through the air, Mrs. Frank Campbell, 10653 Street, Tuesday night drove away two men who had entered the house in an attempt to break in to kidnap her three-year-old son. Police are investigating.

According to the story told by the police one man burst into the front door and the other into the back. The child was seized but when Mrs. Campbell brandished the carving knife, the men fled.

The effort to kidnap was premeditated according to preliminary police investigations, a neighbor stating that he had seen men looking about the place some days before and had heard one of them say that "it was the place where we will get the kid."

After the kidnapping attempt, which was made between 8:30 and 9 o'clock, Mrs. Campbell was taken to her husband's garage and the police were summoned.

A thorough search was made of the neighborhood but no one of a suspicious character was found.

**DYNAMITE MAY HAVE CAUSED DAM DISASTER**

**Los Angeles Authorities Believe Evidence Points to Wilful Act**

LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 20.—The Evening Express today says that the Los Angeles city authorities are carrying on their investigation of the St. Francis dam disaster on the theory that the collapse of the big buttress was caused by dynamite.

Evidence pointing to the alleged act is said to be in the hands of the district attorney, A. C. Kuykendall.

The following statement is issued in support of the claim that dynamite was used in the St. Francis dam disaster: "The dam was found to be in a state of disrepair and was in need of repairs."

Investigations are said to have been in progress for some time before the dam collapsed. It is believed that the dam was in a state of disrepair and was in need of repairs.

**Hugh McKay Died in Victoria Monday**

The death occurred in Victoria on Monday, March 19, of Mr. Hugh McKay, an old-timer of Edmonton, who was an uncle of the late Mr. P. E. Campbell, of Edmonton.

**NEWS IN TODAY'S CLASSIFIED ADS**

**LONE EAGLES**

**Enquiry Received From Toronto on Behalf of Stock Men**

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**PREMIER HOLDS DEBT BILL OVER FOR THIS YEAR**

**Conferences Will Be Held During Summer with View to Adjustment**

Withdrawal of Bill No. 65, 1928, an Act to Amend the Debt Adjustment Act, was announced by Premier J. E. Brownie in the legislature on Monday evening. The bill was introduced by Senator Robinson, Republican, in the House of Commons.

Before dealing with the bill, the Premier said that he was withdrawing it from the legislature on Monday evening. He said that he was withdrawing it from the legislature on Monday evening.

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**MAIL THEFTS CASES HEARD**

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**Spring's Debut Is Scheduled For Wednesday**

Winter effectively succumbs today, and on Wednesday spring will take over the job of supplying the weather.

Edmonton already is enjoying typical spring-like weather. Even on the principal streets are almost entirely clear.

Everywhere there are signs of spring. Water wags are out cleaning the streets, and snow is melting.

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**AIRPLANES TO BE UTILIZED IN CAMPAIGN**

**Strong Financial Houses Interested in Ambitious Project**

Backed by some of the strongest financial houses in Eastern Canada, a party of internationally known financiers intend to invade the North Country during the coming season with a view of locating the whole of the North-West Territory.

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**PREMIER SAYS EXTRA SESSION MAY BE HELD**

**Rail and Police Problems Not Yet Settled by Legislature**

Probability of the legislature being called together for a mid-session session was voiced in the House on Monday evening by Premier J. E. Brownie.

Development of three questions of major importance to the province as a whole were uppermost in the Premier's mind in making the suggestion.

First and foremost of these problems is that of the government road and railway, which may or may not be settled by the legislature in a session probably on Wednesday.

**Offer Not Yet Received**

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**CRASHES IN SAFETY PLANE IS UNINHIBITED**

**LONDON, March 20.—The Daily Express today said that Captain Geoffrey de Havilland, aircraft designer, after making a series of successful flights in the air of a device intended to prevent a plane from crashing, crashed but escaped serious injury.**

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**POLICE FORCE AMALGAMATION ACT ADVANCES**

**Legislature Reports Progress on Measure, Despite Opposition**

Following strenuous efforts by members of the legislature to bring the bill to a vote, the legislature today reported progress on the measure.

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**VUE PALACE**  
**OF ARCHBISHOP**

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concert with a few introductory re-  
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# The Bulletin's Page of World News Told in Pictures

## Selling Man at Auction : Tiny Craft at Sea : Girl Millionaire



**ELECTED COUNCIL:** Isabel MacDonald, daughter of ex-Premier of Britain, won office as Councilor in London elections as a socialist. She aspires to parliament.

**AT RIGHT:** "Mr. Zero," friend of "down and outers" in New York, auctioning off Andrew Uran who attended the Hungarian Royal University for 5 years.

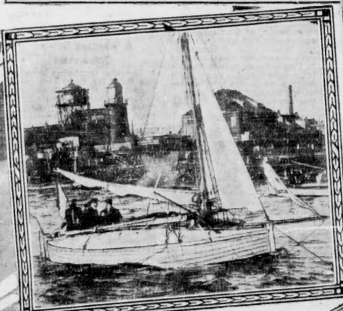


**HAS MADE A MILLION:** Edith Mae Cummings is a real estate dealer, president of her own company. Four years ago she was a telephone operator, probably giving wrong numbers.

**AT LEFT:** A sea lion at the London Zoo possesses an insatiable appetite for dainty morsels, brought by dainty visitors.

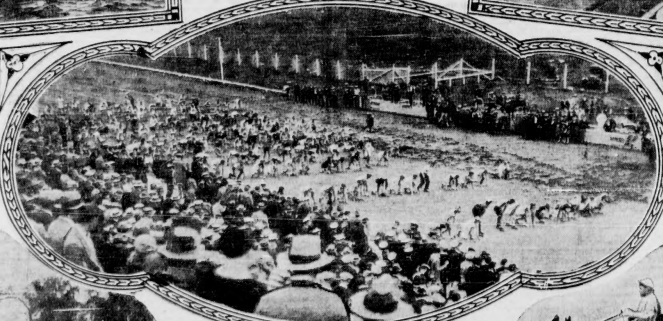


**MINUTELY RISKY:** Cleveland baker-boy heavyweight, who got the decision over Jack Shadley in the elimination tournament for a Tunney opponent.



**CROSSING THE OCEAN:** This little craft left Rotterdam for America February 23, expecting to make the trip in 40 days. Four men are aboard including a wireless operator. The boat is unsinkable.

**AT RIGHT:** The start at Los Angeles of the great foot race across the continent to New York where \$48,000 in prizes will be awarded.

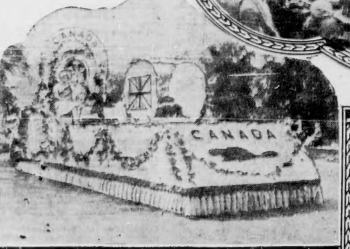


**AT RIGHT:** George Studinger, taxi driver, winning the golf championship of San Francisco, defeating Ritchie, northern California champion.

**PILGRIMS AT PRAYER:** Within the sacred precincts of the Shwe Dagon pagoda at Rangoon, Burma, some came afoot hundreds of miles.



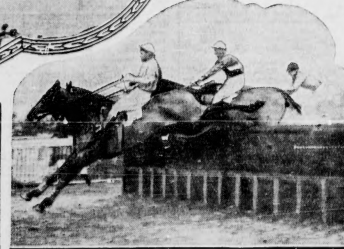
**WRONGLY CONVICTED:** Henry Olson, Rockford, Ill., escaped when sentenced to life imprisonment for murder. Now two youths have confessed and he has returned to be acquitted.



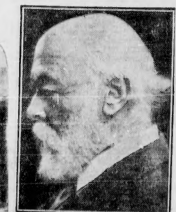
**USA WILL BE REPRESENTED DOWN SOUTH:** This picture shows Canadian Society Float in the parade at the Florida annual State carnival on March 2.



**"PETER PAN" VISITS LONDON WITH MOTHER:** Betty Bronson, aged 19, is now in Europe with her mother and sister.



**AN EXCITING RACE AT HURST PARK:** This beautiful bit of jumping shows how "Morganatic Marriage," in the lead, won the inter selling handicap steeplechase at Hurst Park.



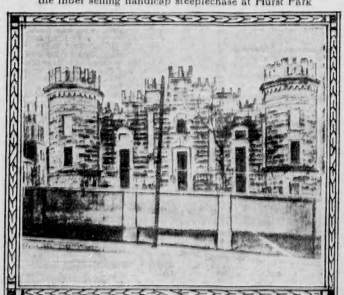
**BOY SPIRIT MEDIUM:** Eight-year-old Douglas Drew is being investigated by the National Laboratory of Psychological Research, including Sir Oliver Lodge (above), in London.



**SIGNATURE BY RADIO:** As it was received at the R.C.A. office in New York having been photo-radioed from London.



**AN AUTOMATICALLY CONTROLLED RADIO SET:** Its inventor, Harry Marvin, Rye, N.Y., is a retired millionaire.



**JAIL WHERE O. HENRY SERVED A TERM:** It is in Austin, where it is proposed to make it the O. Henry memorial library.





## GIRL ALONE

By ANNE AUSTIN, Author of "SAINT AND SINNER",  
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"Let me tell you, young lady, you let David Nash alone!"

**THIS HAS HAPPENED**

BILLY FORD, 16, who for 12 years has known no other home but the state orphanage, is "famed out" for the summer to CLEM CARSON, a farmer who comes regularly to the orphanage to get free servants from among the little chaps' wards. On the way out of the office he met and hugged MISS POND, office helper, to tell her something about her mother, who is convalescing in the home where she called herself her mother, and he returned to the little child.

During the drive to the farm Carson boasts of his fine farm and his daughter, Pearl, who is the "apple of his eye." Clem's wife greets them as they drive into the yard—hand featured, domineering woman. As Billy stands by the car, accepting handshakes which Clem heaps in her arms, she sees coming toward her a handsome young man who shears him called David, and her heart pounds strangely.

**CHAPTER V**

In the big kitchen, dominated by an immense coal-and-wood cook stove, Billy found Mrs. Carson busy with supper preparations. Her daughter, Pearl, drifted about the kitchen, coupling at intervals to remind her that she was ill.

Clem, in that first moment after Billy had hurried into the house, had seemed to Billy as if he were much older than she. For her plump body was voluptuously developed and over-decked with finery. The farmer's daughter wore her light red hair draped in elaborate curls, and in her broad plump cheeks was heightened by rouge applied lavishly over a heavy coating of white powder.

Her slender slip dress, which was made full and short of skirt, so that her thick ankles were displayed almost to the knee. It was before the Pearl, standing there awayward with her eyes fixed on the doorway, and which Carson had thrust into her display of unbecoming flesh.

"Pearl, you are not home," Billy was trying to tell herself. Billy was more the one of her father's healthy, well-developed, better than anything else, except that the father's eyes would have been kind and kind and kindly, and Billy was not home. Billy was more the one of her father's healthy, well-developed, better than anything else, except that the father's eyes would have been kind and kind and kindly, and Billy was not home.

## Miss Information

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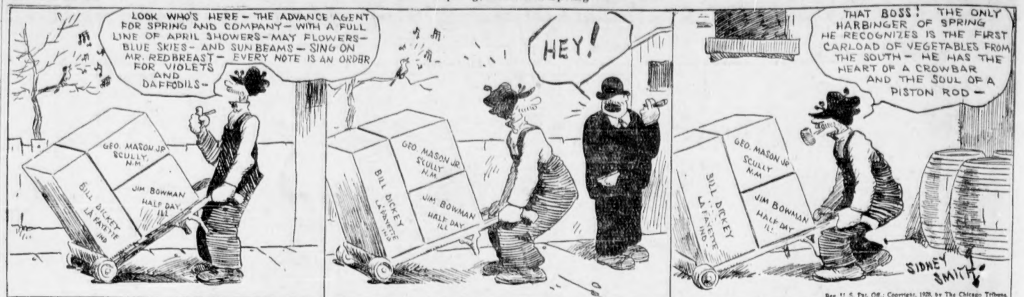
IT'D LIKE TO KNIT IF I DON'T KNOW HOW TO KNIT. IT LOOKS SO CUTE. COULD YOU TELL ME HOW TO KNIT AROUND TO THE PAPER AND KNITTING?



## THE GUMPS

Spring, Beautiful Spring

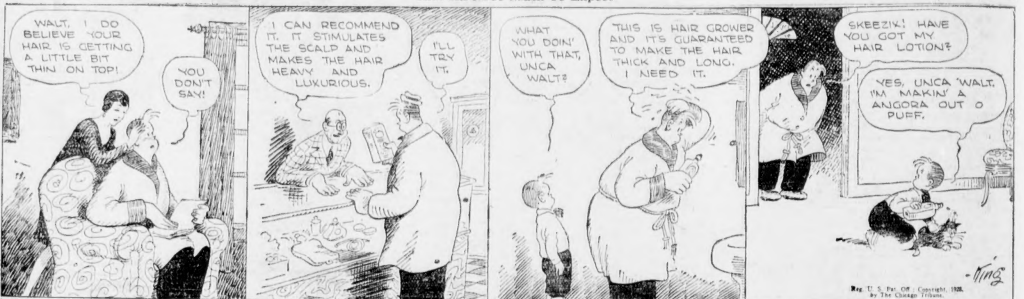
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## GASOLINE ALLEY

That Isn't Too Much To Expect

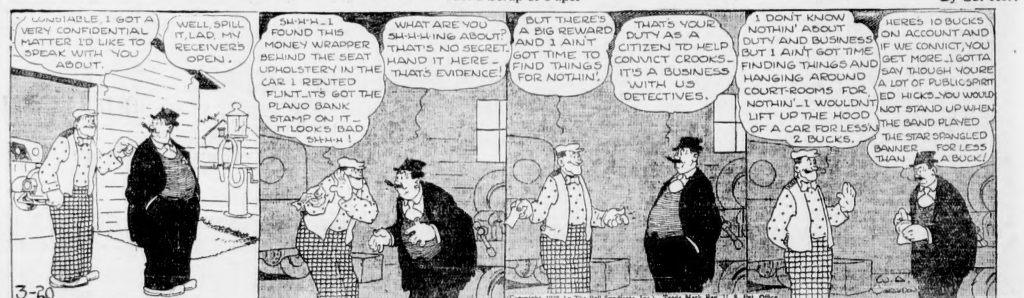
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## THE NEBBES

Just a Scrap of Paper

By Sol Hess



## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Getting Even

By Martin



## WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREAD WINNER

No Sale

By Branner



## LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

The Inspection Trip

By Harold Gray











## Telegraph Companies In Gigantic Merge

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NEW YORK, March 20.—The biggest communication merger on record, the absorption of the Mackay companies operating 8,000 Postal Telegraph offices in the United States and the International Telephone and Telegraph company, was reported today by the New York World today at an accomplished fact.

The deal brings together companies with combined main line capacity of more than 130,000 miles of joined cable, telephone and telegraph wires in Canada, the United States, Mexico, Cuba and Central and South America.

Neither S. Behn, head of the International Telephone and Telegraph company, nor Clarence H. Mackay would discuss the reported merger, but the World says Mr. Mackay's company will be absorbed into the International Communications company, as the merged companies will be known, with practically retired from active affairs.

**MONTREAL PRODUCE**  
MONTREAL, March 20—Cheese, steady  
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